APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

Date of filing in State Engineer's Office	OCT 06 1997
Returned to applicant for correction	
Corrected application filed	
Map filed	OCT 14 1997

The applicant US Ecology, Inc., 11 miles South of Beatty, NV on Highway 95, hereby make application for permission to appropriate the public waters of the State of Nevada, as hereinafter stated.

- 1. The source of the proposed appropriation is underground
- 2. The amount of water applied for is 0.2 second-feet
 - (a) If stored in reservoir give number of acre-feet N/A
- 3. The water to be used for Commercial
- 4. If use is for:
 - (a) Irrigation, state number of acres to be irrigated N/A
 - (b) Stockwater, state number and kinds of animals to be watered N/A
 - (c) Other use (describe fully under No. 12. "Remarks") See #12
 - (d) Power:
 - (1) Horsepower developed N/A
 - (2) Point of return of water to stream N/A
- 5. The water is to be diverted from its source at the following point Within the 40 acres of SW1/4; SE1/4 of Section 26 T.13S., R.47E., M.D.B.&M., or at a point from which the S1/4 of said Section 26, bears S.2° 30' 34" W a distance of 396.00 feet.
- 6. Place of Use US Ecology, Inc. within the boundary of the 80 acre facility located in Nye County, Nevada within the boundaries described below: NW1/4 NE1/4; NE1/4 NW1/4 of Section 35 Township 13 South, Range 47 East, Mount Diablo Baseline & Meridian, and 40 acres within the SW1/4 SE1/4 of Section 26. T.13S., R.47E., M.D.B.&M.
- 7. Use will begin about January 1 and end about December 31, of each year.
- 8. Description of proposed works Drilled well cased and pumped. Pipe line to facility
- 9. Estimated cost of works \$200,000.00
- 10. Estimated time required to construct works 45 days
- 11. Estimated time required to complete the application of water to beneficial use one year

12. Remarks: Annual consumption use not to exceed 47,181,010 gallons

By s/ Douglas Greffin, US Ecology Hwy 95, 11 miles South of Beatty (PO Box 578) Beatty, NV 89003

Compared gkl/cms dl/cms

Protested 12/11/97 by US Department of the Interior;

APPROVAL OF STATE ENGINEER

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application, and do hereby grant the same, subject to the following limitations and conditions:

This permit is issued subject to existing rights. It is understood that the amount of water herein granted is only a temporary allowance issued under the provisions of NRS 533.371 for a finite period of time. This permit will expire on December 1, 2008 and all rights herein will revert back to the source. It is also understood that this right must allow for a reasonable lowering of the static water level. This well shall be equipped with a two (2) inch opening for measuring depth to water. If the well is flowing, a valve must be installed and maintained to prevent waste. A totalizing meter must be installed and maintained in the discharge pipeline near the point of diversion and accurate measurements must be kept of water placed to beneficial use. The totalizing meter must be installed before any use of water begins, or before the Proof of Completion of Work is filed. This source is located within an area designated by the State Engineer, pursuant to NRS 534.030. The State retains the right to regulate the use of the water herein granted at any and all times.

This permit does not extend the permittee the right of ingress

and egress on public, private or corporate lands.

The issuance of this permit does not waive the requirements that the permit holder obtain other permits from State, Federal and local agencies.

Monthly records shall be kept of the amount of water pumped from this well and the records submitted to the State Engineer on a quarterly basis within 15 days after the end of each calendar quarter.

(CONTINUED ON PAGE 2)

The amount of water to be appropriated shall be limited to the amount which can be applied to beneficial use, and not to exceed $\underbrace{0.01825}_{\text{not to exceed 4.30 million gallons annually.}}$

Work must be prosecuted with reasonable diligence and be completed on or before:

July 6, 1999

Proof of completion of work shall be filed before: August 6, 1999

Application of water to beneficial use shall be filed on or before:

December 1, 2008

Permit Expires

Proof of the application of water to beneficial use: December 1, 2008

Map in support of proof of beneficial use shall be filed on or before: \mathbf{N}/\mathbf{A}

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, R. MICHAEL TURNIPSEED, P.E.,

State Engineer of Nevada, have hereunto set

my hand and the seal of my office,

this 6th day of July, A.D. 1998

Certificate No. ____ Issued ____